

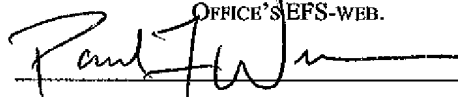
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Amendment and Response

Dear Sir/Madam:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed on August 18, 2010, in connection with the above-identified patent application.

The three-month shortened statutory period for reply expired on November 18, 2010. Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time for responding to the Office action. It is submitted that the response is timely filed within the extended time period.

Payment in the amount of \$130.00 for a one-month extension of time is being provided by the electronic payment system of the EFS. In the event of failure of this payment by the electronic payment system of the EFS for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Kagan Binder Deposit Account No. 50-1775 and thereafter is requested to notify us of the same.

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